

## THE GAZETTE.

THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 22.

In France not less than 12,000 women are employed in the glove trade in the department of the Loire alone. In the Grenoble factory there are 1,200 who cut gloves, making on an average four hundred and fifty dozen a year. A single house at Chaumont (Haute Marne) employs 2,051 stitchers. There are three separate kinds of work in glove making—cutting, stitching and finishing. Men usually do the cutting; but lately they have employed at the Grenoble manufactories four hundred or five hundred women, who place the leather upon the iron hand, cut it with the aid of a balancer and prepare it for sewing. The stitchers are paid for one dozen single buttoned ladies' gloves four francs fifty centimes (90 cents.) and for two buttoned gloves four francs seventy-five centimes (95 cents.). The mistress deducts fifty centimes, and the workman is obliged to furnish the silk, at a cost of about forty centimes; three francs thirty centimes (66 cents.) remain for one dozen pairs, or thirty centimes (6 cents.) a pair. A good worker can make at most four pairs a day, but the majority of women do not make more than two and a half.

PARTRIDGES.—Sportsmen are now engaged in shooting this fine bird. They are not so plentiful as in some years past—the hard winter of 1872-73 having destroyed many of them. *Clarke Courier.*

## AUCTION SALES.

**TRUSTEE'S SALE.**—In pursuance of a deed of trust from Jacob Muddiman and wife, dated the first day of January, 1872, I shall proceed to sell, in front of the Mansion House, in the city of Alexandria, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of October, at 12 o'clock m., the two-story BRICK TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND named therein, situated on the northeast corner of Alfred and Wolfe streets, oct 21-22 ALLEN C. HARRISON, Trustee.

## VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust from John S. Owens, bearing date the 8th day of July, 1865, and of record in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Prince William county, to secure the payment of a certain debt therein mentioned, I shall, on TUESDAY, the 24th day of November, proceed to sell, in front of the Mansion House, in the city of Alexandria, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of October, at 12 o'clock m., the two-story BRICK TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND named therein, situated on the northeast corner of Alfred and Wolfe streets, oct 21-22 ALLEN C. HARRISON, Trustee.

**VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.**—This farm lies in Prince William county, about three miles north of Haymarket, a station on the W. C. & N. R. R., containing about seven hundred and thirty-five acres of land, of most excellent quality, with abundance of water, well watered, and the IMPROVEMENTS are comfortable.

The terms of sale will be: One third cash, one third in one year, and one third in two years, with interest on deferred payments from day of sale. Title to be retained until the whole is paid. Sale to take place at 12 m.

THOS. HENDERSON, Trustee.  
Prince William co., oct 20-2005

## PROPOSALS.

**VIRGINIA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE.**

TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

Sealed proposals are hereby invited for the erection of two large College buildings and two dwelling houses. Plans and specifications for the same can be seen on or after the 24th of November next, either at the College in Blacksburg, or at the office of A. Lybrook, Architect, Richmond, Va. The proposals will be opened on or before Monday, the 24th of November. The estimates to be made out separately for each building, and in detail for the different ranches of the work, viz: Brickwork, Carpenters work, Plastering, Painting, Slatting, &c. The right of rejecting bids is reserved.

H. B. BLACK, Rectr. of College, Blacksburg, oct 20-1m Montgomery county, Va.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Proposals will be received until Saturday next, the 24th instant, at 12 o'clock m., for paving the sidewalks in front of the Court House property, on Columbus street, and the School Board property, in same street, with good hard, new paving brick; to be laid on good sharp sand, not less than 4 inches deep.

Contractors will state for how much they will do the paving, including the old brick now in front of the Court House.

Bids now it can remain, or be withdrawn, as parties may wish.

The bills for paving will be certified to the City Auditor for payment.

Bids can be left with the City Surveyor or any member of the Board of Public Works.

oct 20-2d JNO. B. SMOOT, Pres't.

## MEETINGS.

**ALEXANDRIA WATER COMPANY.**

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA WATER COMPANY will be held at their office, No. 75 Prince street, on MONDAY, the 22d of November, at twelve o'clock m.

T. D. FENDALL, Sec'y.

oct 21-2d

**WASHINGTON AND OHIO R.R. CO.**

The Annual General Meeting of the Washington and Ohio Railroad Company will be held on WEDNESDAY, the fourth day of November, 1874, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the office of the Company, in Alexandria.

oct 17-200d K. JOHNSTON, Clerk.

**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.**

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA AND FREDERICKSBURG RAILROAD COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, in Alexandria, Va., corner of King and St. Asaph streets, at twelve o'clock m., on MONDAY, Oct. 26, A. D. 1874.

sep 19-20 W. LITTLE, Secretary.

**NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.**

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA AND FREDERICKSBURG RAILROAD COMPANY will be held at the office of Francis L. Smith, esq., corner Wolfe and St. Asaph streets, in Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, November 10, 1874, at ten o'clock a. m. Election for President and Directors same day and place.

oct 9-2d ALBERT HEWSON, Sec'y.

**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.**

A meeting of the stockholders of the MIDDLEBURG AND PLAINS TURNPIKE CO. will be held in Middleburg, at the office of Maj. B. P. Noland, at 3 o'clock on SATURDAY, the 24th of October next, for the purpose of electing a President and Directors of said company for the next year.

JAMES P. WEST, Pres't.  
Middleburg, Loudoun co., oct 2-200d

**HATS, CAPS AND FURS.**

**JOHN T. EVANS** Respectfully informs his old customers and the public generally that he has just returned from New York with a large and select assortment of HATS, CAPS AND FURS, all of the latest styles, and quality from the medium to the finest. He has the largest and best assortment of LADIES' and MISSES' FURS ever offered in this market, which he is prepared to sell at most reduced prices. He has also made arrangements with the most fashionable and best silk hat manufacturers in New York to be supplied with the latest styles.

Ladies' Furs repaired and White Furs cleaned.

oct 14-1f

**MRS. WILKIN'S COMMODIOUS AND**

**BOARDING HOUSE.** No. 117 Queen street, is now open for the reception of permanent, transient and table board. VACANT ROOMS, on suite and single, on second floor. References: Messrs. J. W. Burke, H. B. Hoopes, Geo. H. Robinson, Robert S. Ashby, Chas. W. Green and W. L. Padgett.

oct 12-2w

**PLAIN SUGAR-CURED HAMS.** Breasts and Shoulders just received and for sale low by

Geo. McBurney & Son,  
oct 8 166 and 170 King street.

**OLD DEW DROP HOLLAND GIN.** in cases; also Double Grape and on draught, for sale by

Geo. McBurney & Son,  
oct 20 166 and 170 King street.

**POWDER, SHOT AND GUN CAPS** for sale by

J. C. MILBURN.  
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## BOOTS AND SHOES.

## Fall Trade, 1874.

The subscriber has just had manufactured one of the largest and best stocks of goods in his line ever offered in this market, which he can afford to sell at prices to suit the times. He names in part—

LADIES', GENTS', MISSES', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S

OF FINE AND COARSE WORK,

manufactured from the best material, and in the most durable and elegant manner, comprising a great variety of new and handsome styles. Also a large stock of

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS

SUITABLE FOR THE

COUNTRY TRADE.

to which he invites the especial attention country merchants and farmers.

All in want will do well to call before purchasing elsewhere.

W. B. WADDEY,

74 King street.

sep 17 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

TO THE LADIES.

We have one of the largest stocks of FINE

BUTTON and LACE BOOTS ever offered in

this market, of superior quality, handsome in

styles, which will be sold at a small advance on

the cost to manufacturers. Call and see.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' FINE CALF, KID AND RUSSIA

LEATHER BUTTON BOOTS,

Vienna style,

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' PARLOR & TOILET SLIPPERS

Ladies' French Kid Broadway, Ladies' Lasting

Broadway, Turkey Morocco Broadway,

French Kid Toilett, Cassimere Toilett, Lasting

Toilett, Serge and Carpet Slippers, in every style

and quality.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' LASTING BOOTS.

A large stock with a great variety of new

styles, beautiful and very cheap.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

NEW STYLES LADIES' GAITERS,

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

BURT'S FINE SHOES,

FOR LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDREN,

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' FINE SHOES,

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' HANDSOME BUTTON BOOTS,

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LARGEST STOCK CHILDREN'S BOOTS AND

SHOES.

Protection Toe will wear twice as long as shoes

made in the ordinary way. They will not wear

through the upper at the toe. One trial will

prove this to your entire satisfaction. For sale

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

MISSES' LASTING BOOTS,

IN EVERY STYLE, QUALITY AND PRICE,

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

MISSES' WALKING AND SCHOOL BOOTS

A large stock, in every style and quality.

Prices low.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

MISSES' FINE BUTTON BOOTS

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

GENTLEMEN'S FINE DRESS BOOTS

AND SHOES.

A large stock of new styles, very handsome,

of the best quality, and at low prices.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL AND WALKING

BOOTS.

A large stock and great variety of styles, at

very reduced prices.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

INFANTS' BOOTS AND SLIPPERS.

A fine stock, in every color, style and quality,

at very reasonable prices.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

BOYS' AND YOUTH'S DRESS SHOES.

A good stock of new styles, of fine quality,

and at low prices.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' HOUSE SHOES.

A large stock and great variety, suitable for old

ladies.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

BOYS' AND YOUTH'S BOOTS,

Kip and Calf, good and cheap.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' FINE WALKING BOOTS,

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

A LARGE STOCK OF HEAVY GOODS,

suitable for the country, to which we invite

special attention of country merchants, as they

will be sold very low for money.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES', GENTS', MISSES' AND CHILD-

REN'S OVERSHOES.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King st.

FRANCIS A. KERBY,

AUCTIONEER,

REAL ESTATE BROKER,

AND GENERAL BUSINESS AGENT

NO. 56 KING STREET.

(Burke's Building).

Alexandria, Virginia.

Buy and sell, and lease houses in Alexan-

dria and farm in the country.

Particular attention given to the selling of

household furniture at auction at the residences

of families declining housekeeping. [feb 21-1f

ICE DEALERS.

ICE!

Having made arrangements for a full supply of

NORTHERN ICE,

I am prepared to fill all orders, both wholesale

and retail, at market rates.

Country orders solicited and special at-

tention paid thereto.

F. A. REED, Agent,

Janney's wharf.

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TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS & OTHERS.

STAPLE DRY GOODS AT BALTIMORE

PRICES.

Great inducements to cash buyers, or prompt

parties on short time.

October 19, 1874.—We now offer a great many

goods specially suited to the wants of country

merchants, and at such prices as to defy com-

petition.

D. F. BRASHEAR,

oct 19 109 King st., Alexandria, Va.

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR.

J. WENGER'S,

MT. JACKSON,

RIVER BANK and

VALLEY MILLS, for sale by

THOS. PERRY.

oct 16-1w

## GROCERIES.

W. A. JOHNSON,

DEALER IN

GROCERIES AND LIQUORS,

NO. 41 CORNER QUEEN AND PITT STS.,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

He would inform dealers and others that he is

prepared to furnish them with all kinds of

POTOMAC FISH,

at the lowest possible prices, and would call

the attention of buyers to the fact that his brand

has stood No. 1 in market at all times, and that

he intends to sustain his reputation in all respects.

All orders addressed to William A. Johnson

Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention.

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W. M. F. BROOKES,

DEALER IN

FINE AND FAMILY GROCERIES,

147 King street,

Alexandria, Virginia.

Special attention given to the selection of

TEAS, COFFEES and FAMILY FLOUR.

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GEORGE MCBURNEY & SON,

Dealers in

CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCE-

RIES, WINES AND LIQUORS,

ENGLISH AND SCOTCH ALE AND BROWN

STOUT.

Also, EASTERN and POTOMAC HERRING

and MACKEREL,

NOS. 106 AND 110 KING STREET,

(Washington Hall Building).

Alexandria, Va.

Orders promptly filled. mh 31-1f

G. W. RAMSAY,

WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER,

—AND—

TEA DEALER

S. E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS.,

Alexandria, Va.

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WOOD AND COAL.

COAL!

On the wharf and to arrive a full stock of all

kinds of

ANTHRACITE AND CUMBERLAND

COAL.

Sold at market rates per ton 2240 lbs.</